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Calidus Resources	ASX: CAI
Stage	Development, exploration
Metals	Gold, lithium
Market Cap	A\$334 m @ 83.5c
Location	Pilbara, Western Australia



Calidus Resources 50% JV Pirra Lithium pegmatite outcrop

## Calidus Resources Pirra Lithium JV Identifies a Significant Lithium Prospect in East Pilbara

Lithium-bearing pegmatite mapped over +1km with assays up to 2.3% Li<sub>2</sub>O

Calidus Resources Limited (Calidus (ASX:CAI)) is pleased to announce that Pirra Lithium has identified a substantial lithium-bearing pegmatite with a mapped strike length of more than 1km approximately 50km south-west of Marble Bar in the

East Pilbara.

**Pirra Lithium**, which is owned equally by Calidus and Haoma Mining NL1, collected 34 rock-chip samples of the pegmatite and the adjacent granitic country rocks.

Assays of the pegmatite yielded 0.66%-2.34% Li<sub>2</sub>O, with two samples of metasomatized country rock adjacent to the pegmatite yielding 2.78% and 2.91% Li<sub>2</sub>O.

## HIGHLIGHTS

- Calidus' 50 per cent owned Pirra Lithium has discovered a lithium pegmatite extending over 1km in strike length at Spear Hill in WA's Pilbara
- Rock-chip assays returned up to 2.34% Li<sub>2</sub>O
- More geological mapping underway to identify and confirm other pegmatites in the area
- An initial 2,500m RC drilling program has been planned to test the thickness and down-dip extent of the pegmatite
- Applications for Programs of Work (PoW) and heritage surveys are being lodged to facilitate drilling, targeting the June quarter of 2022.

## Calidus Resources management comments

*"It is already clear that we are in the early stages of an exciting lithium discovery with both scale and strong grades."*

*“There is a compelling business case to accelerate exploration now we have confirmed lithium grades for this significant outcropping pegmatite.”*

*“Despite the pegmatite being located close to the Hillside – Marble Bar Road, there is no record of geological mapping or sampling in the area and the area has never been drilled.*

*“These results highlight the immense prospectivity of the large tenement package and rights owned by Pirra Lithium.*

*“Work is continuing to determine the full extent of the pegmatite and to identify other pegmatites in the vicinity. As part of this, we are preparing for a maiden drilling program.*

*“The Company will also continue its aggressive exploration program elsewhere on the tenement package”.*

**Calidus Resources Managing Director Dave Reeves**

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